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SUBJ: FRENCH ARRESTS OF FISHING BOATS OFF FRENCH GUIANA

1. FOLLOWING TRANSLATION OF BRIEF ITEM APPEARING
IN SEPTEMBER 7 EDITION OF DUTCH LANGUAGE DAILY
"DE WEST" PROVIDED FOR INFORMATION OF DEPARTMENT AND
ADDRESSEE POSTS:

2. QUOTE: "SIX FOREIGN FISHING BOATS SEIZED"
DURING A COMBINED ACTION OF THE FRENCH NAVY, THE
GENDARMERIE, AND CUSTOMS OFFICIALS NOT FEWER THAN
SIX FOREIGN FISHING VESSELS WERE ARRESTED AND SEIZED.
THIS OCCURRED WITHIN THE TWELVE MILE ZONE OF FRENCH
GUIANA. PARTICIPANTS IN THE ACTION WERE, AMONG OTHERS,
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THE "BREGUET-ATLANTIC" OF THE AIR NAVY AND THE
WARSHIP "CANOPUS."

3. SEIZED WERE THE JAPANESE SHRIMP TRAWLERS
"YUTAKA MARU 35" AND "YUTAKA MARU 32." THESE WERE
CAUGHT BETWEEN SINNAMARY AND IRACOUBO. SEIZED WERE
THE AMERICAN FISHING VESSELS "SEA KING" AND "SEA

STALLION." THESE WERE ARRESTED BY THE ILES DU SALUT.
LATER STILL ANOTHER AMERICAN VESSEL FOLGOWED, NAMELY
THE "NAUTILUS." THE KOREAN TRAWLER "S. E. CHONG 10"
WAS ARRESTED BY THE ISLAND GRAND CONNETABLE.

4. THE QUANTITIES OF CAUGHT SHRIMP WERE SOLD IN CAYENNE.
THE AMERICAN AND JAPANESE CAPTAINS SHOWED CERTAIN
DOCUMENTS. ACCORDING TO THEM, THEY WERE ALLOWED TO
FISH OFF FRENCH GUIANA. THE FRENCH DENIED THIS.
THE FRENCH WILL INFORM THE EUROPEAN ECONOMIC
COMMUNITY ABOUT THE INCIDENTS. UNQUOTE.
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